

THE ADVENTURES OF NON

by Chris Kalnick

A new feature of our periodic Bulletins will be the comic strip, "The Adventures of Non," by Chris Kalnick. It will be an on-going series chronicling the exploits of Non, as he/she/it investigates the human experience on physical earth. Chris says a lot will be covered in the strip, but its primary purpose is to enable us to laugh at ourselves as we attempt to discover "what life is all about" and evolve beyond our current condition.

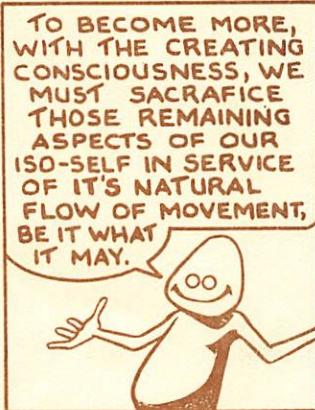
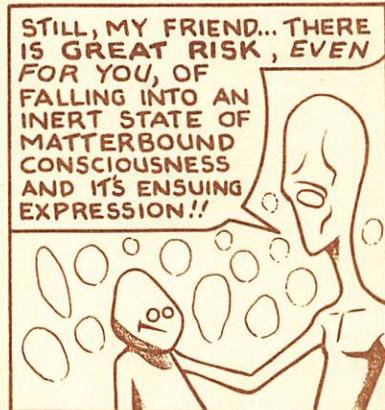
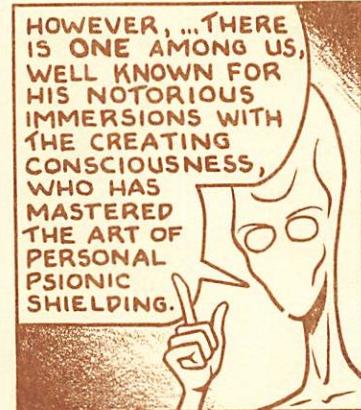
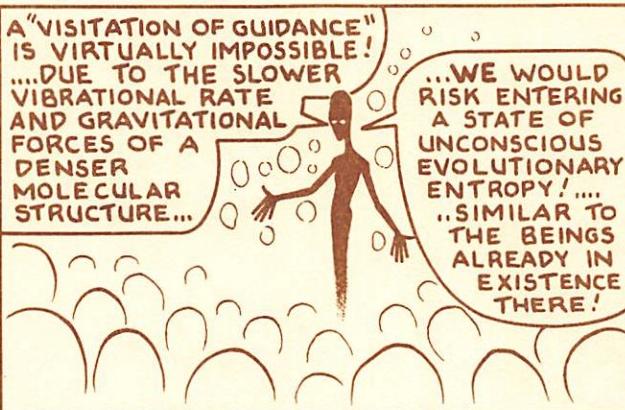
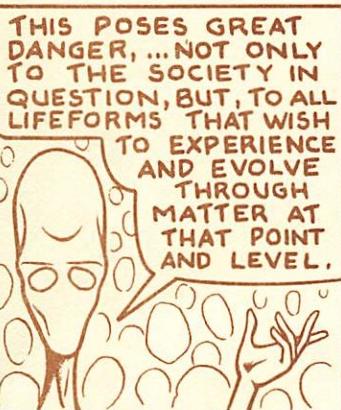
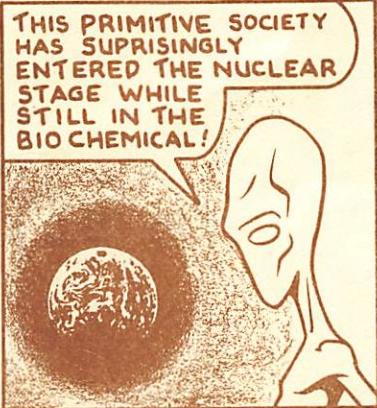
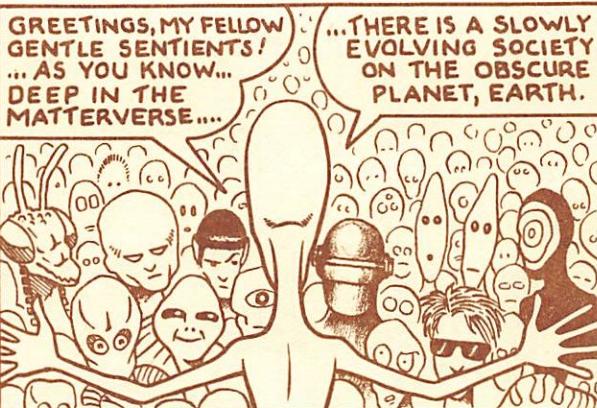
Chris is a illustrator/writer/cartoonist currently working in the comic book industry. He recently began setting up DAYBREAK STUDIOS—an art studio dedicated to the expanding field of human consciousness. One of the goals of the studio is to show the arts of sequential, illustrative story-telling and cartooning as excellent and entertaining media of communication, expression, and the teaching-learning process—that can be taken far beyond their current usage in today's society. Thanks for sharing your talents with us, Chris.

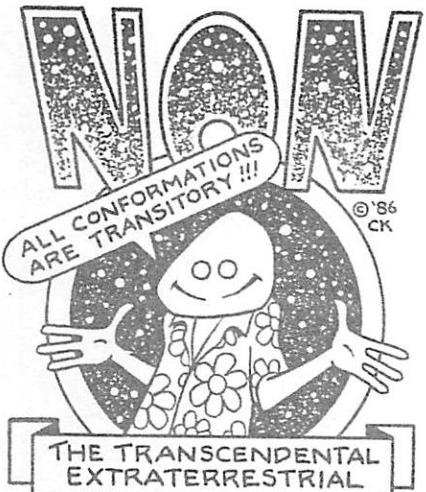
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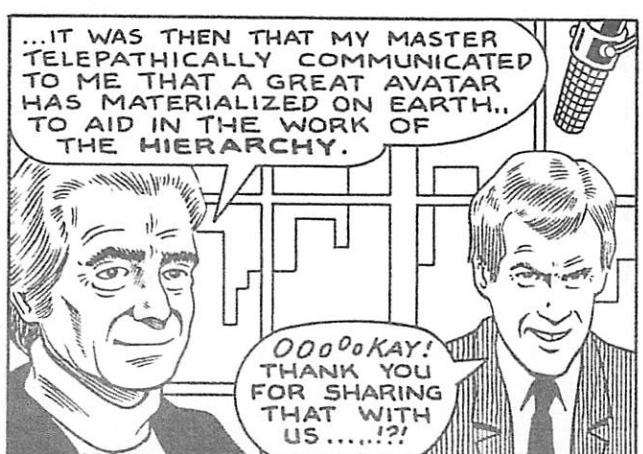
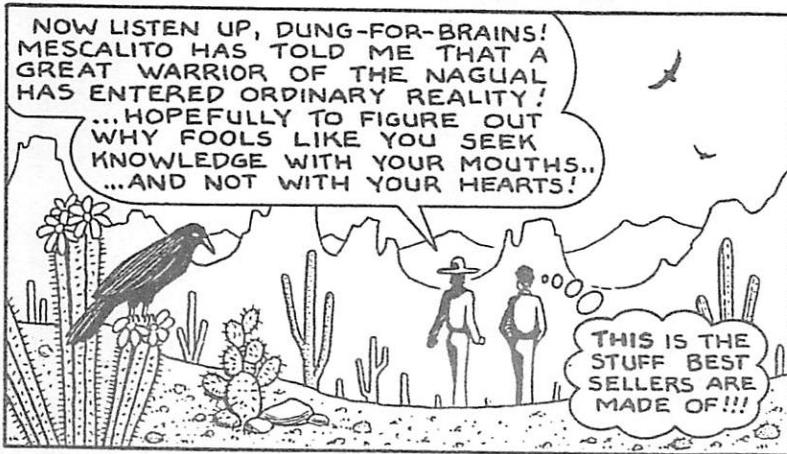
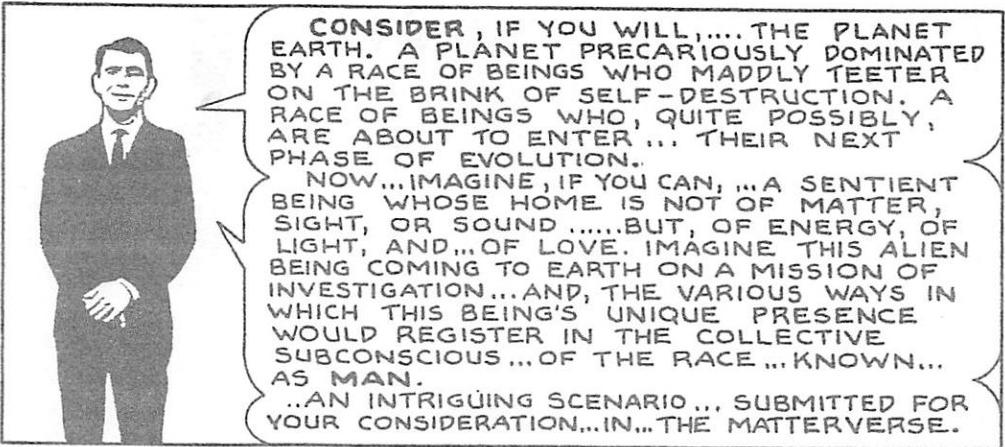


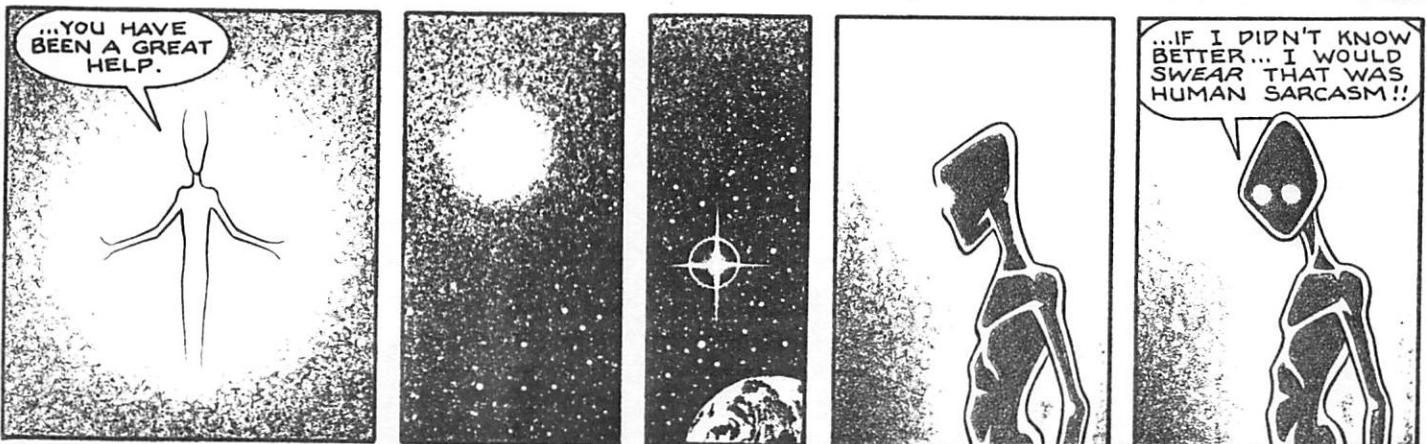
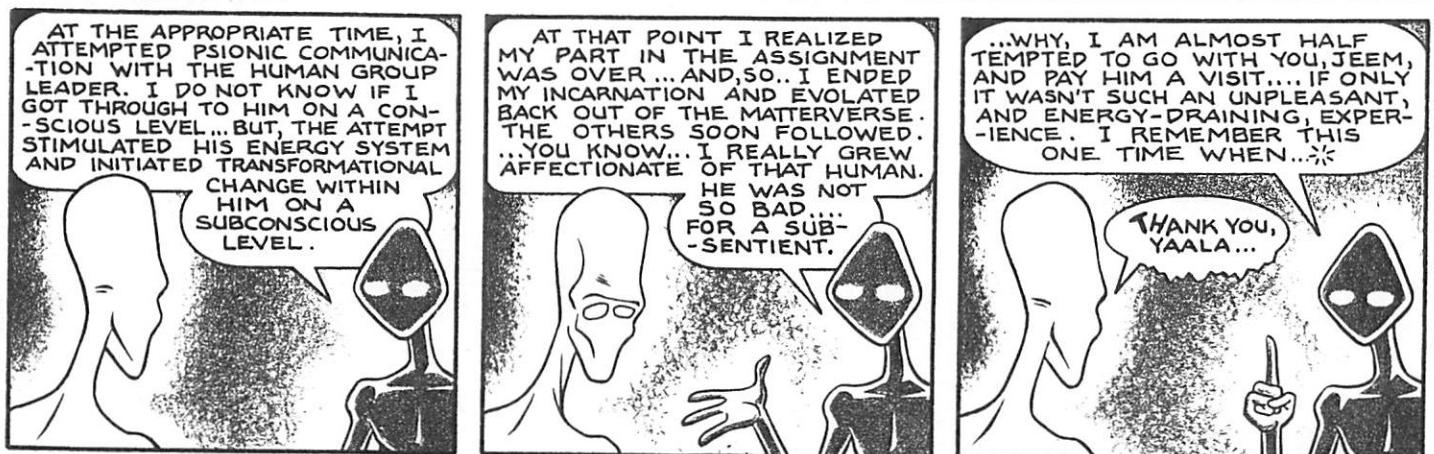
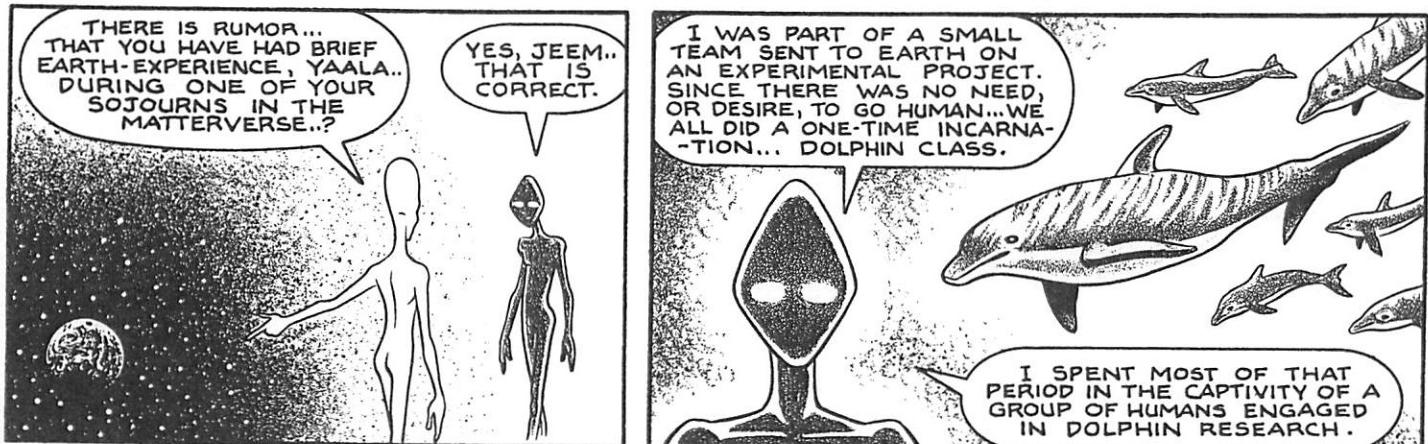
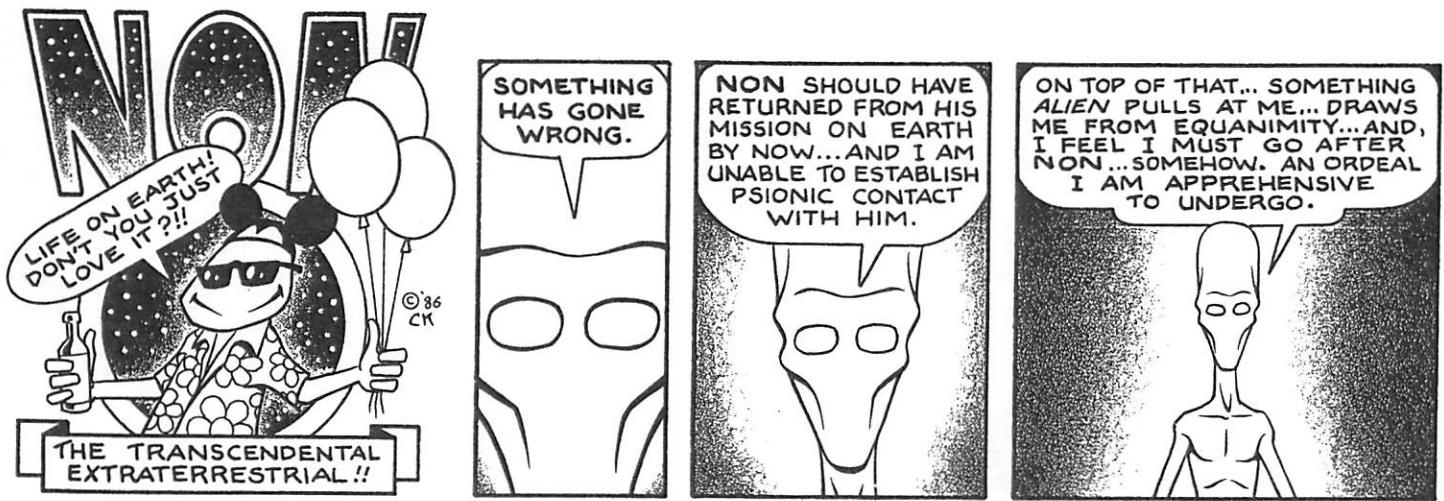
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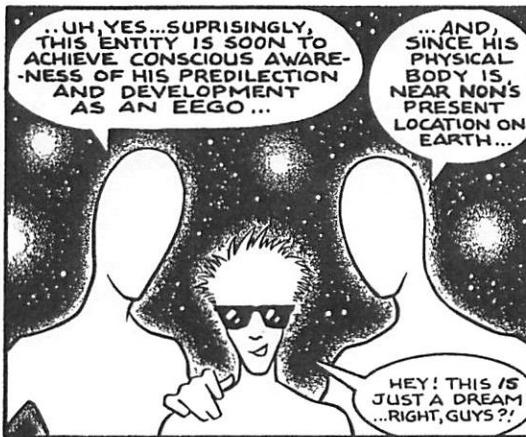
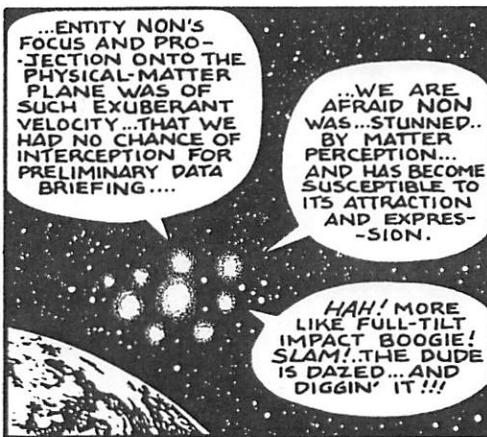
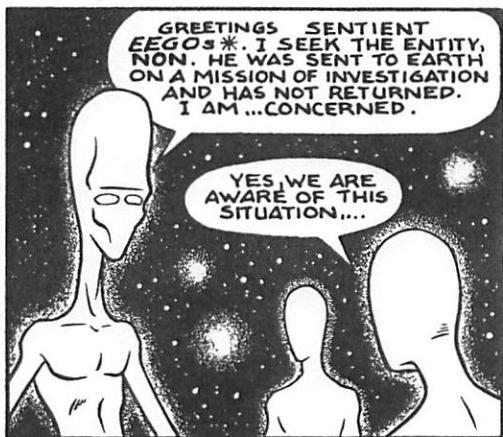
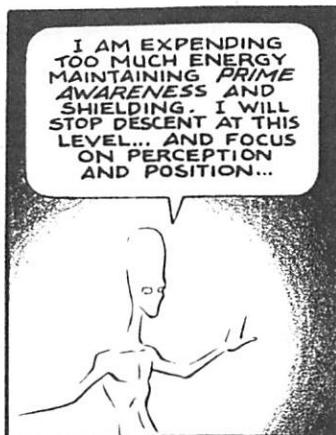




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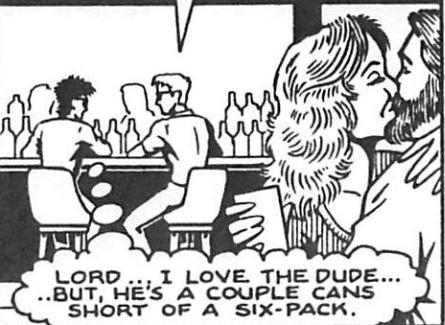
... I'M TELLING YOU, BIG BOY... I REALLY BELIEVE SOME ALIEN BEINGS ARE CONTACTING ME THROUGH MY DREAMS... AND, THAT THEY WANT ME TO HELP ONE OF THEM... HERE ON EARTH!



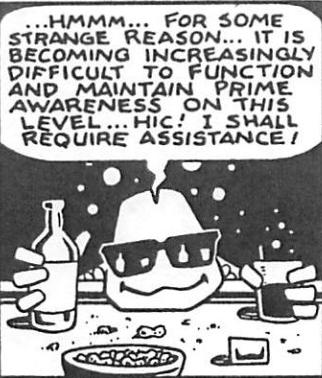
'KNOW WHAT I THINK, CHUCKIE? I THINK THAT, DUE TO YOUR DISILLUSIONMENT AND FRUSTRATION WITH THE WAY THINGS ARE IN THE WORLD TODAY, YOU'VE RETREATED FURTHER INTO YOUR IMAGINATION... TO FIND SOME WAY TO GIVE YOUR LIFE PURPOSE AND MEANING ...'



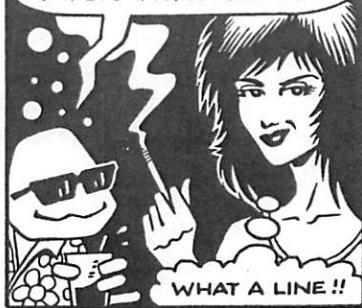
... YOU SHOULD SERIOUSLY CONSIDER AN OFFICER'S CAREER IN THE NAVY. IT COULD REALLY DO YOU SOME GOOD!



MEANWHILE... DOWN AT THE OTHER END OF THAT VERY SAME BAR...!!



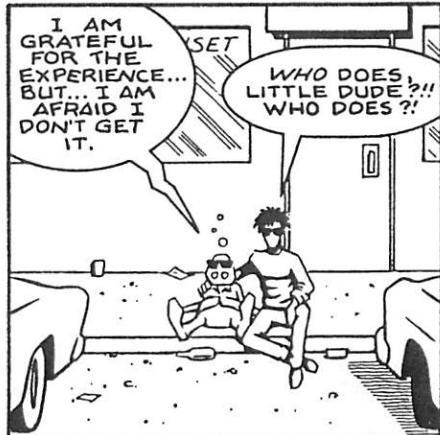
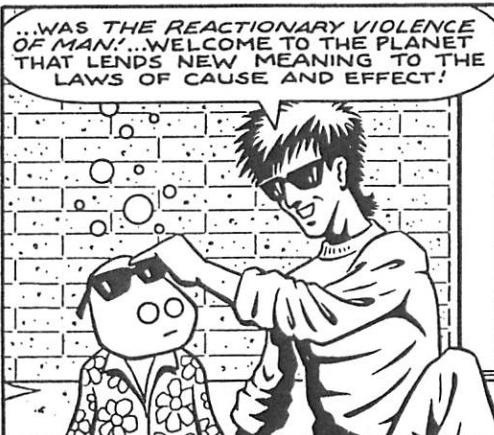
GREETINGS, GENTLE SENTIENT. WOULD YOU LIKE TO ENGAGE IN PSIONIC INTEGRATION... FOR A MUTUAL EXCHANGE OF ACCESSIBLE EXPERIENCE-INFORMATION?... HIC!



I DON'T THINK MY BOY FRIEND WOULD LIKE THAT.



YEAH, ME! YA LITTLE GEEK!

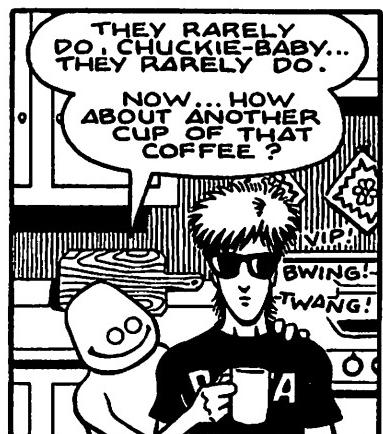
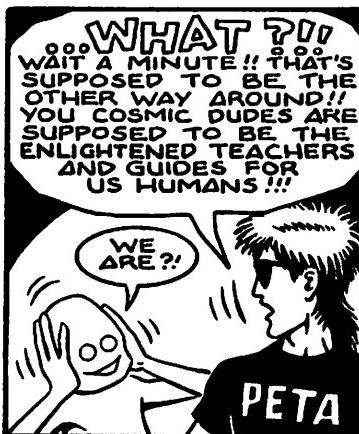
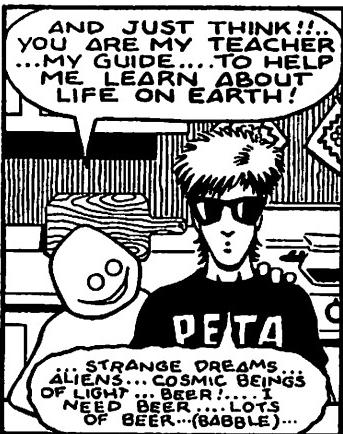
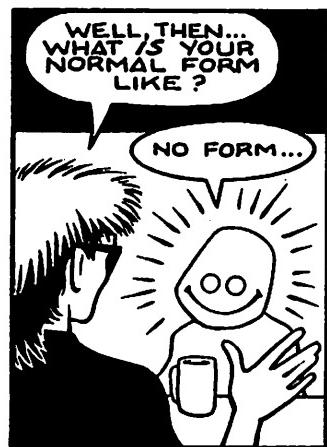
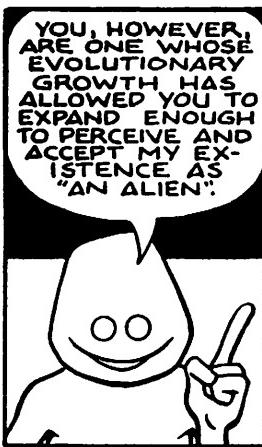
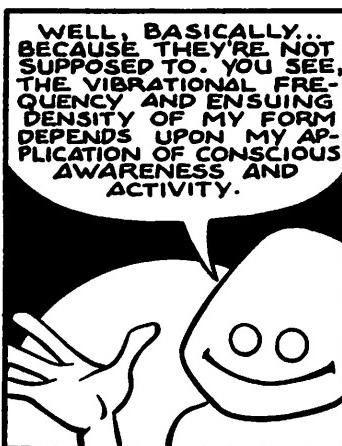
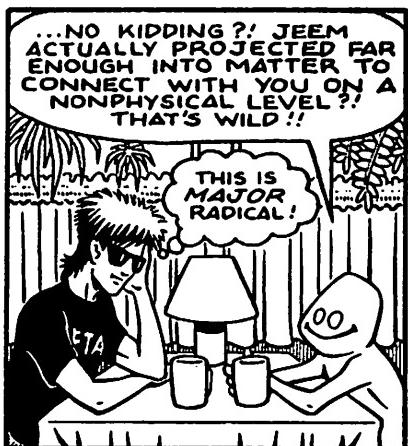


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"I'D HAVE A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN... BUT I DON'T BELIEVE IN SHRINES."
—JOHN MELLENCAMP

POOR CHUCKIE. AS WE ALL KNOW... IT'S HARD ENOUGH TO EVEN BEGIN TO CONSCIOUSLY ATTEMPT PRIME AWARENESS RECALL/ENGAGEMENT WHILE IN HUMAN INCARNATION....
...LET ALONE SOBER UP A PREVIOUSLY NON-MATTER-EXPERIENCED TRANSCENDENTAL EXTRATERRESTRIAL WHO HAS BEEN ON A PERPETUAL PARTY-AND-BEER BINGE EVER SINCE MANIFESTING ON EARTH....!!

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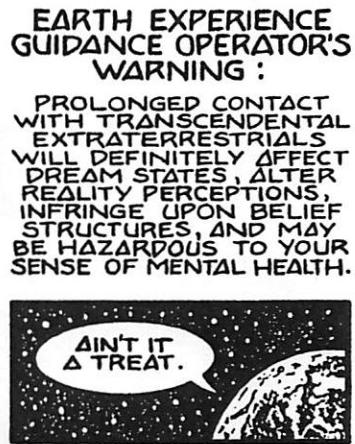
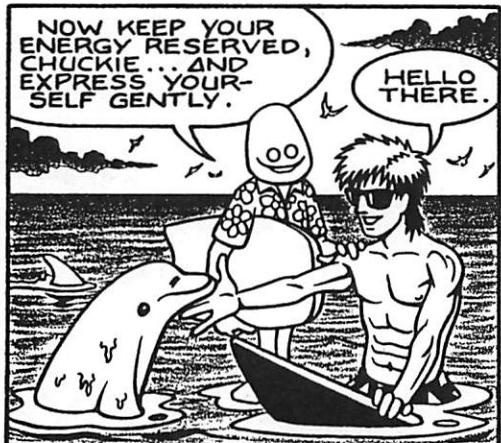


STRANGE DREAMS... ALIENS... COSMIC BEINGS OF LIGHT... BEER... I NEED BEER... LOTS OF BEER... (BABBLE)...

BWING!
TWANG!

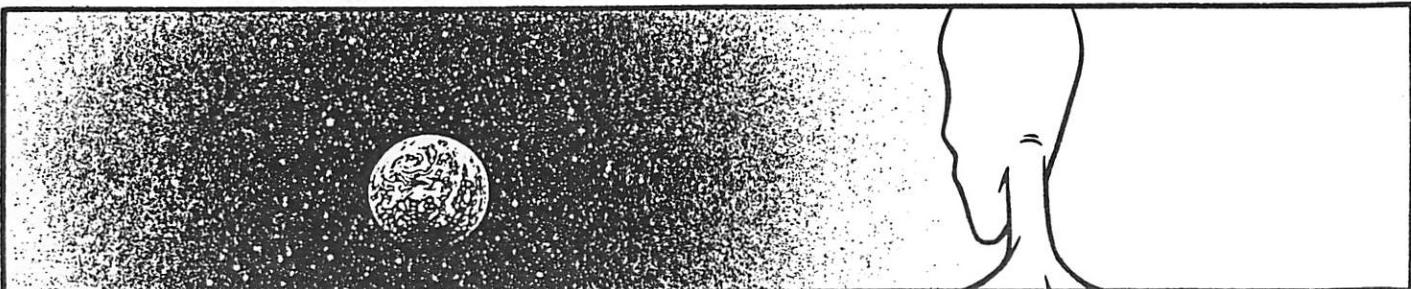
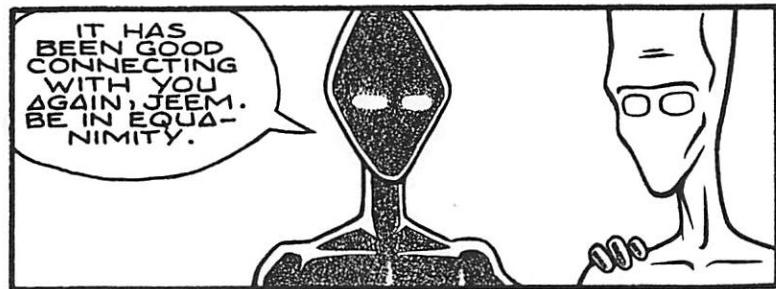
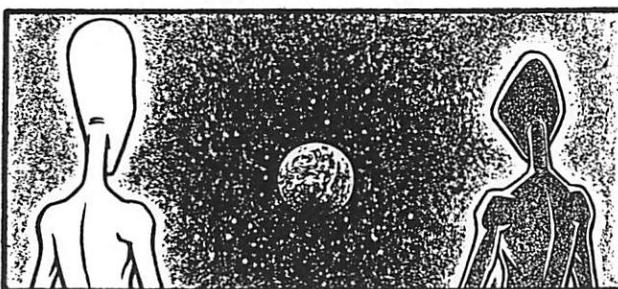
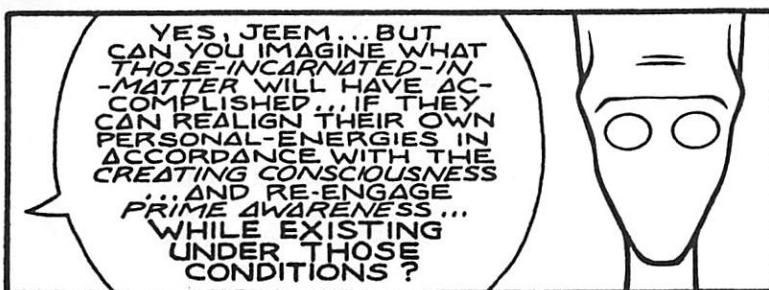
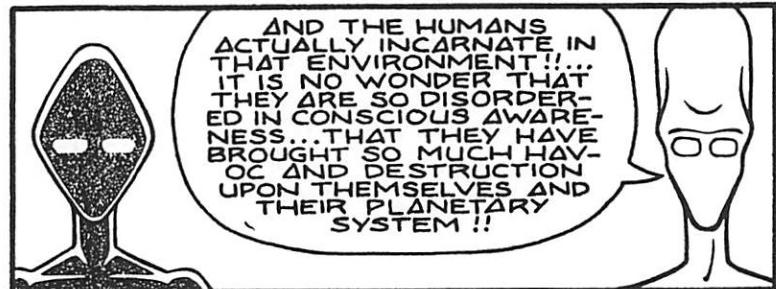
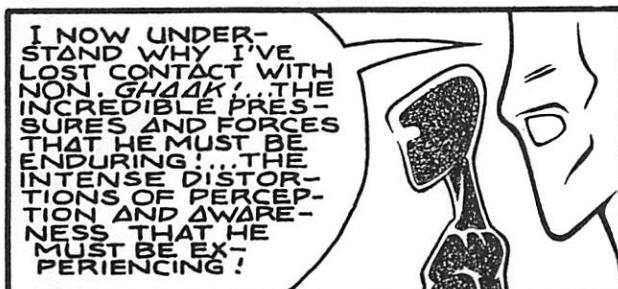
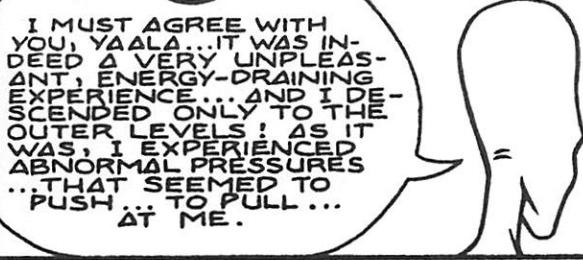
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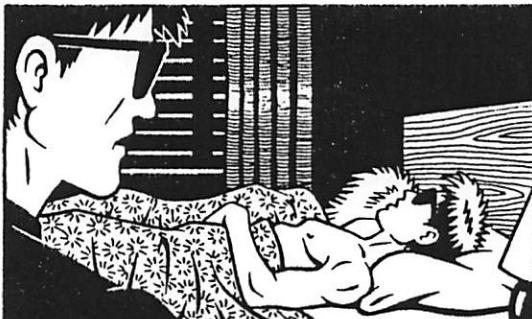
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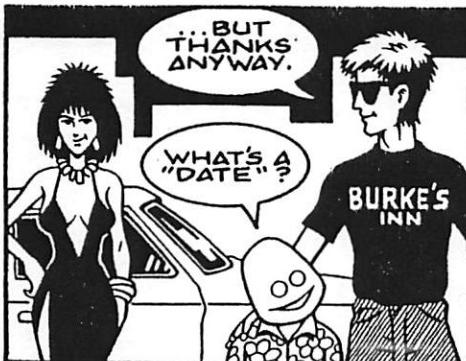
HEY, BUDDY... HOW ARE YOU? HOW'S THE NEW DUTY-STATION? THINGS HAVE BEEN A BIT CRAZY HERE WITH NON... THAT'S FOR SURE!!

REMEMBER WHEN YOU WERE BACK HERE ON LEAVE AND I TOLD YOU I WAS HAVING DREAMS ABOUT ALIENS WANTING ME TO HOOK-UP WITH NON AND HELP HIM OUT SOMEHOW? WELL... MY DREAMS HAVE GOTTEN EVEN WEIRDER WITH HIM AROUND!

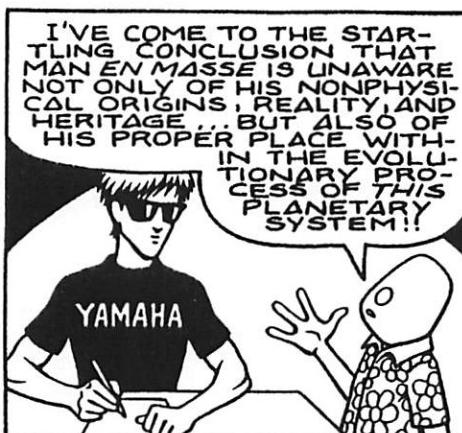
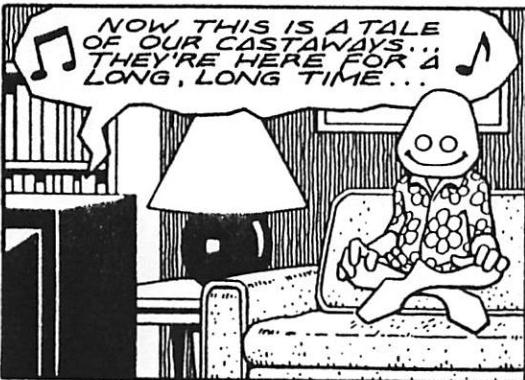
LIKE, JUST THE OTHER NIGHT... I DREAMT NON AND I HAD BEEN OUT SOMEWHERE AND WERE HEADING BACK TO MY PLACE. AFTER WE ENTERED THE APARTMENT I WENT TO THE BEDROOM. I WAS STANDING IN THE DOORWAY AND I SAW MYSELF IN BED... SLEEPING!! THEN I WOKE UP! I FOUND NON OUT IN THE KITCHEN, MAKING COFFEE. IS THAT TOTALLY WILD, OR WHAT?



NON WANTS ME TO HELP HIM LEARN ABOUT LIFE ON EARTH... ABOUT BEING HUMAN. IT'S LIKE HE'S TRYING TO UNDERSTAND THE BOTTOM-LINE MOTIVATION BEHIND OUR BEHAVIOR AND EXPRESSION. BUT HE'S HAVING TROUBLE GRASPING IT. IT'S LIKE TOO ALIEN TO HIM. AND HELL... I'M NOT MUCH HELP. I DON'T UNDERSTAND IT MYSELF MOST OF THE TIME!



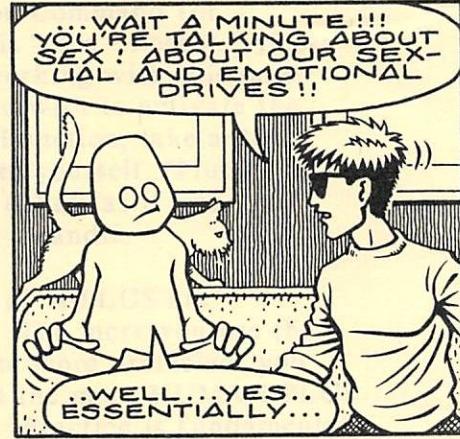
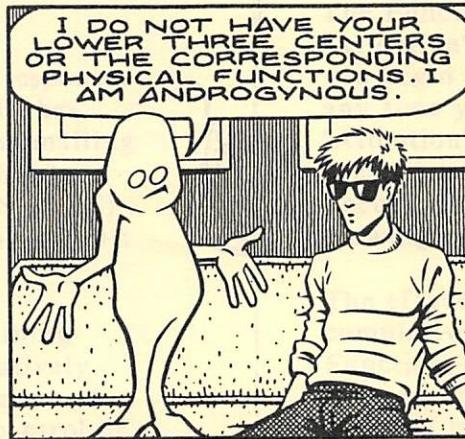
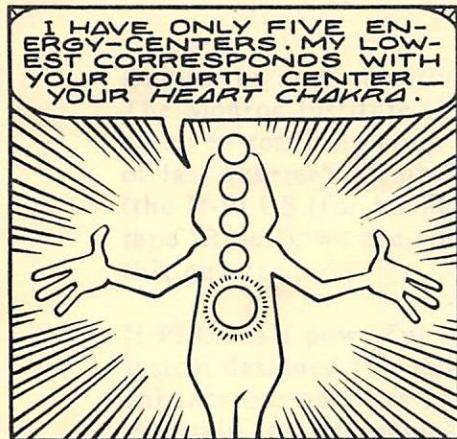
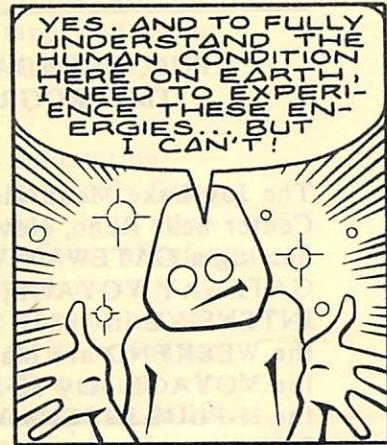
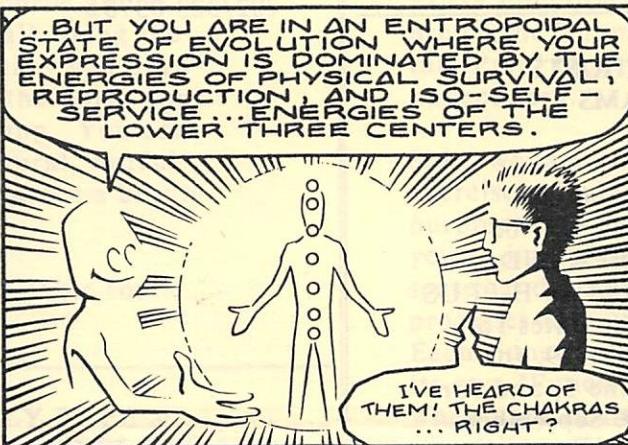
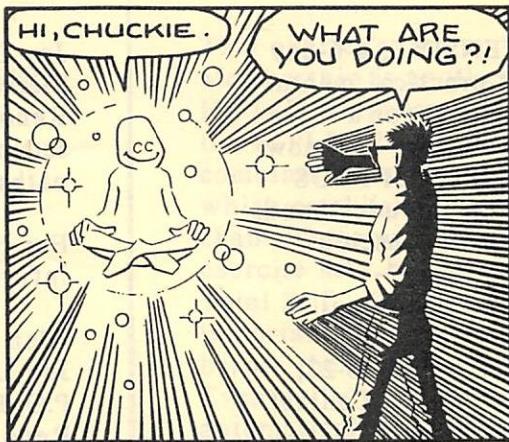
SINCE I NEED TIME TO FIGURE OUT HOW TO DEAL WITH THIS SITUATION, I TOLD NON THAT THE TV WAS A "HUMAN-EDUCATIONAL-LEARNING DEVICE". HAH!! I'D SAY HE'S BECOME A REGULAR COUCH-POTATOE, BUT HE HAS A TENDENCY TO HOVER ABOVE THE COUCH!



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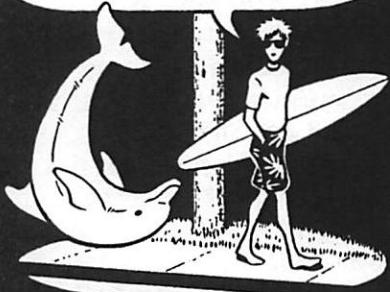


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...AND SO... HE'S BEEN SPENDING A LOT MORE TIME FURTHER OUT IN ORBIT WITH THE EEGOS.



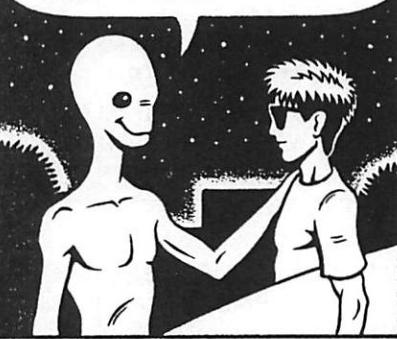
HE SAYS THERE ARE VARIOUS OTHER EXTRATERRESTRIALS OUT THERE ALSO!



HAH! I ALWAYS KNEW IT! WHEN I WAS A LITTLE KID, I USED TO DREAM ABOUT ALIENS ALL THE TIME! AND SOMETIMES I'D WAKE UP AND...*



BECAUSE... IT IS PLAYFUN! AND TO SHOW YOU I AM NOT JUST A DOLPHIN... BUT MUCH MORE...



JUST AS YOU... ARE NOT JUST MANHUMAN. BUT MUCH MORE. IN TIME YOU WILL RELEARN THIS GOODTRUTH. IN TIME YOU WILL LEARN NOT TO PROJECT MANHUMAN. AND WILL FIND WE ARE BEAUTIFUL LIGHTBEINGS ALL.



WELL... THIS IS MY PLACE. WANT TO COME IN AND HANG OUT... OR SOMETHING?



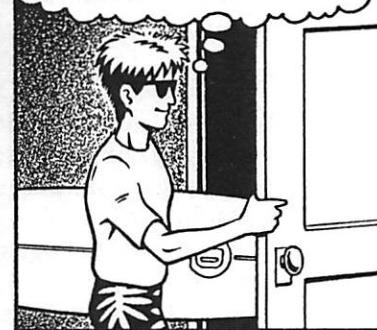
THANK YOU... BUT WE SHOULD BOTH BE RETURNING TO PHYSICAL NOW. PLAY AND BE WELL, EARTH-BROTHER CHUCKIE!



YES. WE HAVE MUCH TO SHARE AND LEARN FROM EACH OTHER.



I CAN'T WAIT TO TELL NON ABOUT THIS ONE! I AM DEFINITELY STARTING TO GET INTO THIS!



CIN! HEY, CIN! DO YOU THINK OUR TUB COULD HOLD A DOLPHIN?!



IT WOULD ONLY BE FOR A SHORT VISIT OF COURSE!



I GUESS WE'D HAVE TO SALT THE WATER...! WE'VE GOT SEA SALT DON'T WE?!



* CU (PRONOUNCED "COO")

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I WAKE UP IN THE DARNEDEST PLACES.

SEE? I TOLD YOU HE COULD DO IT. THE KID'S GOT POTENTIAL.

HMM... PERHAPS.

IF IT'S NOT TOO MUCH TO ASK...

JUST WHAT THE HELL IS GOING ON HERE ??!

HE'S VIBRATIONALLY VOLATILE! HE SHOULD BE PACINULLIFIED.

NO, NO... HE'LL BE OKAY.

BASICALLY, CHUCKIE... YOU'RE PROJECTING ABOARD A SPACE-SHIP ORBITING THE EARTH ON A SEMI-NONPHYSICAL LEVEL.

OH.

COOL!

THE EARTH IS ATTRACTING MUCH ATTENTION FROM OTHER SYSTEMS RIGHT NOW. SOME... LIKE US... ARE HERE TO ASSIST IN YOUR PLANETARY TRANSITION.

SINCE WE ARE ALL PART OF THE SAME PROCESS... THE SAME MULTIVERSAL SOCIETY... WE WISH TO HELP MANKIND EVOLVE TO A LEVEL OF AWARENESS WHERE HE WILL NO LONGER BE A THREAT TO HIMSELF, THE EARTH-MOTHER, AND ALL OTHER LIFEFORMS THAT WISH TO EXPERIENCE AND EVOLVE THROUGH MATTER THERE.

SO ARE YOU. WHOSE DREAM DO YOU PREFER?

GET SERIOUS! WE'RE TALKIN' ABOUT MAY HERE! YOU'RE DREAMING, PAL.

SO WHAT DOES ALL THIS HAVE TO DO WITH ME?

IT IS A PRIORITY... AND OF GREAT MUTUAL VALUE... TO WORK WITH ENTITIES THAT INCARNATE AND CONSCIOUSLY EXPRESS ON THE PHYSICAL EARTH PLANE.

HMM. YOU SAID THAT SOME ARE HERE TO ASSIST. WHAT ABOUT THE OTHERS?

IF YOU CONSCIOUSLY DECIDE TO WORK WITH US... THERE IS MUCH YOU WILL HAVE TO LEARN. YOU MUST NOW GO.

THAT IS UP TO YOU.

THEY'RE LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD HUMANS, CHUCKIE.

WAIT A MINUTE, BUD! I'VE GOT A FEW MORE QUES*

*TIONS..!

BEER?

WHOA.

THEY CAN DO THAT?

THEY CAN DO THAT.

BE WORRIED.

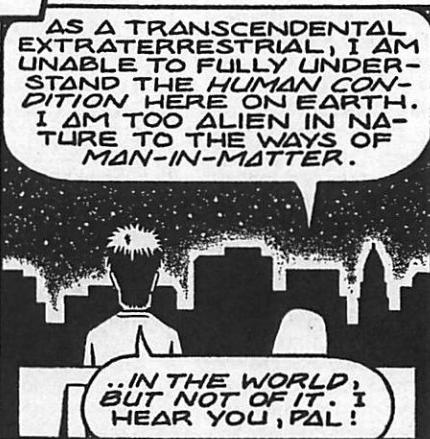
BE VERY WORRIED.

YOU KNOW... WHAT'S STARTING TO WORRY ME IS... I THINK I'M GETTING USED TO ALL OF THIS STUFF!

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